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Foolish Oversight

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FINE WEATHER.

MRS. J. TAYLOR ELLYSON SPEAKS IN GLOUCESTER

President of Association for Preservation of Virginia Antiquities Is Handily Entertained

Mrs. J. Taylor Ellyson has a round trip home after a charming visit to Mr. and Mrs. Almond at Blow at "Bellville," Gloucester County. Mrs. Blow gave a beautiful entertainment on Tuesday, July 21, in honor of Mrs. Ellyson, who is president of the Association for Preservation of Virginia Antiquities and many members of whom were members of the Gloucester branch of the A. P. V. A. The house, "Bellville," the oldest in the county, is one of the handsomest on North River, and was decorated everywhere with quantities of flowers, a color scheme of pink being carried out in every detail. Refreshments were served from the kitchen, and Mrs. Asby Jones poured the tea in the dining-room, and Mrs. William F. Patterson served the tea in the breakfast room.

In order to combine business with pleasure, Mrs. Ellyson was asked to tell of the work of the A. P. V. A. For this purpose the lawn facing the North River was laid out and made attractive by the erection of a large tent under the shade of the trees, which stretched on the grass, with seats arranged for the comfort of the company. Surrounded by the stately trees, some of them two and a half centuries old, and fanned by the fresh breeze from the river in this historic spot, it was most pleasant to speak on a subject so interesting as the preservation of Virginia antiquities.

Mrs. Ellyson, a former directress of the Gloucester branch, introduced Mrs. Haskins Hobson, who gave in as brief a time as possible a condensed history of the work of the association and its ambitious aims for the continuation and enlargement of its work. Enthused by the result of what had been accomplished in the acquisition of priceless sites and buildings, the erection of monuments and work of restoration, and impressed by the president's suggestion for the future work of the Gloucester branch, a meeting was called at once, which was addressed by several of the members. Mrs. Lewis M. Hall, recently elected directress and Mrs. Harry Utterback, secretary and treasurer. Seventeen new members were added, and a vote of thanks extended to Mrs. Blow and Mrs. Ellyson, after which the company adjourned to the mansion, where they were most hospitably entertained.

Mrs. Ellyson was entertained at dinner by Mrs. Asby Jones, and had several social invitations, which she was forced to decline on account of her business.

Trip to the East Postponed.

Owing to the state of her health, Miss Amy Manning Taylor has postponed her trip to China and other places in the East indefinitely. Miss Taylor had expected to sail for the Orient on August 22, and it is of great interest and concern to her friends in Richmond and throughout the State that her journey has been postponed.

Leaving.

Dr. and Mrs. William F. Mercer, Miss May Mercer and Miss Elsie Young are leaving town in their car on Saturday day for Staunton. From Staunton Dr. Mercer and his party will make an extended tour of the Valley of Virginia, returning to Richmond about the middle of September.

Miss Emma Conquest and Ophelia M. Scott, Richmond, have left for Cape May, N. J., where they will spend two weeks at the Charlotte Inn. They will be joined at Cape May on Saturday by Miss Camilla Scott Welford, who will also remain there for several weeks.

Guest of Miss Fore.

Miss Bess Ruth Lathrop of Wilmington, Del., will stay at Miss Blanche Fore's at her home, 1212½ First Franklin Street. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Fore, Miss Blanche Fore and Miss Lathrop will leave to-morrow for Ogunquit, Me., to spend some time. They will be joined there later by Winfree Fore.

Going North.

Mrs. G. Harvey Clarke expects to leave town Saturday for New England, where she will join her daughters, who are summering at Woods Hole, Mass. Mrs. H. M. Watson of Baltimore, has recently been the guest of Mrs. Clarke here at her home on Hanover Avenue.

In North Carolina.

Miss Ruby Powell is leaving Saturday to spend her vacation in Wilmington, N. C., where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Longley, of that city. Miss Powell will also go to Wrightsville Beach, where she will stay at the Hanover Club, before returning to Richmond.

Attractive Lawn Party.

The young people of Park Place Methodist Church are arranging for an elaborate lawn party to be given today at the church at 1800 Park Avenue. There will be games, music, refreshments, automobile rides and pretty girls. The proceeds of these entertainments will go to the support of the missionaries in Japan, care for by this school. Those in charge are Messelmans, J. Lee Todd, Blair Matthews, W. J. Lyman, W. Wilkins, Stevens, G. Lee, Thomas, Burlington, Carson, Saunders, Richardson, Bobbitt, Britton, Hawks, Allen, Anderson, Misses Virgie Allen, Beulah Miller, Alice Beveridge, Anna Adams, Alice Grant, Mrs. W. R. Walker, Misses Esther Mann, Edie Watkins, Grace Payne, Elsie Phillips, Lucetta Williams, Calie Hardy, Eunice Lee, Susie Schenck, Anna Shedd, Wimie Scott, Lucie Jones, Nellie Pearce, Mrs. Milton Hargrave, Misses Whipple and Minnie Jones.

Regular Walker will have charge of the musical program, and the services of Mr. Chauta, Miss Beveridge and Miss Hitler's classes will serve tea. The

James B. Pace Bible class will take charge of the grounds. The girls' classes will sell fruit.

In New York.

Registering at the Hotel McAlpin in New York from Richmond during the past week have been Isaac M. George C. Powers, R. W. Warren, Mrs. Horace B. Christian, A. G. Root, G. B. Syden, J. C. Jonesoff, Le Roy S. Cohen, G. G. Hatch, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hatchell.

AND OUT OF TOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Munce and family have just moved into their new home on Monument Avenue.

Mrs. Lloyd T. Wilson and her daughter, Mrs. Anna Louise Wilson, have returned to the city after spending some time in the West.

Miss Fannie Scott has gone to Warrenton, where she will visit relatives for a month.

Miss Saunders Hobson, who has been the guest of friends at Greenwood, Albermarle County, has returned to Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Justin Moore have returned to Richmond after spending several weeks at Virginia Beach.

Mrs. W. T. Budd, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Haskins Hobson, at Forest Hill, has returned to her home in Powhatan County.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Childress, of Richmond, are spending some time at the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway.

Phil G. Kelly and his daughter, Miss Elizabeth Kelley, left last Saturday for a several days' visit to Asheville and Salisbury, N. C.

Dr. Blair Burwell, of Powhatan County, continues very ill at his home, Indian Camp.

Misses Libbie Tarras and Elizabeth May have returned from a stay at Virginia Beach.

Miss Anna May Purcell, of this city, is visiting Miss Clara Tillery at her home in Newport News.

Miss Virginia Netherland, who has been spending some time at Virginia Beach, has returned to her home in Powhatan County.

Mrs. Barton H. Wise and Miss Nell Wise have returned to the city, after a short stay at Massachusetts Springs.

Miss Frederick Eden and her baby have gone to the mountains of Virginia to spend the remainder of the summer season.

Haskins Hobson, of Forest Hill, is the guest of relatives in Powhatan County.

Mrs. D. Newlands of this city, has been invited to the city by Mrs. R. C. A. Childress, of Richmond, is spending some time with relatives in Powhatan County.

Mrs. Barton H. Wise and Miss Nell Wise have returned to the city, after a short stay at Massachusetts Springs.

Miss Curran and Miss Louise Curran, of this city, are staying at the Spotswood Arms, Arlington.

Rob Fleming has returned to his home in Washington, after a brief stay in Richmond.

Miss Emma Southall, who has been visiting relatives in Newport News, has returned to the city.

Mr. H. A. Fleet and his son, Ross Fleet, are guests of Mayor and Mrs. J. P. Rowe in Fredericksburg.

Mrs. Joseph Culley, Mrs. George B. Watson and Mrs. Bertie Nicholas, of Richmond, are visiting friends in Norfolk.

Mrs. Charles C. Rady has gone to Newport News, where she is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Maurine Simons.

Miss Julia Onondaga, of this city, and Miss Gladys Johnson, of Roanoke, spent the weekend with Miss Elizabeth Tyler at her country place near Claremont.

Miss Alice Clemmitt, who has been visiting Mrs. Leon Wood in Norfolk, is now the guest of Mrs. G. A. Wilson at Great Bridge.

Miss Artie Pore and Miss Pearl Armstrong, both of this city, have returned to their home, after a visit to Mrs. Nancy Traylor in Newport News.

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